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| Applicant | : | Dieter Rumpf |
| Serial No. | : | 10/692,218 |
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| For | : | VEHICLE STEERING WHEEL |
| Group Art Unit | : | 2832 |
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 6, 2004,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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